

BOS amending firearm discharge zones, asks for neighborhood input

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The York County Board of Supervisors is in the process of considering amendments to the County Code regulations dealing with the discharge of firearms.

Currently, Section 16-7 prohibits the discharge of firearms and pneumatic guns within or within 300 feet of many of the existing subdivisions and residential areas of the county. Several additional neighborhoods have already requested that they be added to the list of restricted areas. Before acting on those requests, the Board of Supervisors wants to know if other non-listed neighborhoods would be interested in being covered by the firearms restrictions.

A copy of the draft code provision under consideration by the Board of Supervisors can be viewed here.

Neighborhood associations, or representative groups from neighborhoods without owners associations, are invited to submit their requests for inclusion by Jan. 30, 2009 to: York County Administration, P.O. Box 532, Yorktown, VA 23690 or by email to ctyadm@yorkcounty.gov. For more information, contact the Assistant County Administrator at 757-890-3320.